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MS PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for filing a \square continuation \boxtimes divisional \square continuation-in-part application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) of pending prior Application No. 10/407,231 filed on April 7, 2003, the entire contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference, by

Chih An YANG

for

NOISE ELIMINATING SYSTEM ON CHIP AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME

1. Enclosed is an application consisting of specification, claims, declaration and drawings/photographs (if applicable).



 \boxtimes The filing fee has been calculated as follows:

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| , | | | LARGE ENTITY | SMALL ENTITY |
| | BASIC FEE | | \$770.00 | \$385.00 |
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| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED | | | + \$290.00 | + \$145.00 |
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| 3. | \boxtimes | A check in the amount of \$770.00 to cover the filing fee and recording fee (if applicable) is enclosed. |
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| 4. | | Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. A triplicate copy of this request is enclosed. |
| 5. | \boxtimes | Enclosed is/are \underline{six} ($\underline{6}$) sheet(s) of formal drawings and/or photographs. |
| 6a. | | A statement claiming small entity status was filed in prior Application No. 10/407,231 on See the attached copy of the statement claiming small entity status. |
| 6b. | | The current application qualifies for small entity status. |
| 7. | \boxtimes | The prior application is assigned to VIA TECHNOLOGIES INC. |
| 8. | | A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. |
| 9a. | | Priority of Application No(s). <u>091134103</u> filed in <u>Taiwan, R.O.C.</u> on <u>November 22, 2002</u> is/are claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. See attached copy of the Letter claiming priority filed in the prior application on <u>April 7, 2003</u> . |
| 9b. | | Priority of International Appln filed on |
| | | under the Patent Cooperation Treaty and |
| | | Application No. filed in on under 35 |

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| 10. | \boxtimes | An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 form(s) are attached hereto for the Examiner's consideration. |
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| 11. | \boxtimes | Address all future communications to: |
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| 12. | | An extension of time for() month(s) until has been submitted in parent Application No. 10/407,231 in order to establish co-pendency with the present application. |
| 13. | | Also enclosed herewith is the following: |
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| | | Respectfully submitted, |
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